

Philpot Lane

Tuesday Morning

My dear Sir,

Emily de Sote has
written to me saying that Mr.
de Sote has seen or heard
that Lord Ellesmere is going
to the Aghuck near Manchester
— she believes at Runcorn; &
suggesting that as you are
acquainted with Lord Ellesmere
it might be well for me to
ask you to mention my
name to him if it be practicable

I hardly like to bore you
in this way; but still, as I
am now bound not to let
slip any opportunity of
getting something to do that
I can I venture to do so.

I hope, at the same
time that, if, for any reason
you do not quite like to do so,
that you will not hesitate
for an instant to say so.

I know very well, how disagreeable
it must be under any circumstances

to undertake & recommend another
man & more so if you do
not know much as to his
qualifications.

And I fear too, that Lord
Mellmore is very probably
provided before this with
some other architect.

However, if you can without
any trouble or annoyance
to yourself, do anything in this

matter for me I shall be
very much indebted to you -
with of kind regards to all
your family

Believe me to be

Yours very truly

George Edmund Street.

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